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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Action dated July 25, 2002 for a period of three months.

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